

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

PREHEARING CONFERENCE REPORT

DOCKET NO. 2020-188-T

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DOCKET DESCRIPTION:

Application of JEGA Movers LLC for Class E (Household Goods) Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Operation of Motor Vehicle Carrier

REPORT:

The prehearing conference was held virtually, with participants utilizing WebEx to communicate. Jerisha Dukes, Esq. appeared on behalf of the Commission. Paul Degenhart, Esq. and James Aaron, Jr. appeared on behalf of Applicant. Alexander Knowles, Esq. and Thomas McGill appeared on behalf of the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS").

Jerisha Dukes opened the prehearing conference. Paul Degenhart informed the Commission that Applicant would file its direct testimony soon. He also informed the Commission that there are no issues regarding the application. ORS concurred but addressed concerns with Sections 2.4 and 4.1 of Applicant's tariff. ORS also discussed the filing of shipper witness affidavits and stated it has no objection to Applicant filing shipper witness affidavits in lieu of in person testimony. Applicant intends to file shipper witness affidavits.

Jerisha Dukes asked if any additional witnesses would be making an appearance at the hearing. Paul Degenhart reported none for the Applicant; Alexander Knowles reported none for ORS.

The prehearing conference also served as a test run of each participant's virtual connection. Randy Erskine, Melissa Purvis, and Jackie Thomas are the Commission staff that were present during the test run. Randy Erskine discussed virtual hearing logistics with participants.